

and consulting with the board." Other persons filling that office would not carry with them the authority, influence and feelings of the board, which are deemed essential to the efficient performance of the duties of the station. The present system has been approved by experience, and a change should not be made without the clearest indications of advantage. The alteration of that office cannot more effectually carry into force the police of the house, or curtail its expenses, while probably it might lead to derangement and difficulty. Nothing is to be gained by the change, much may be lost.

The undersigned agrees generally with the recommendations in the report of the Chairman, with the exception of the reference to the executive committee, and desires they may be carried into effect.

All which is respectfully submitted,

J. W. CRISFIELD.

I have read and concur in the above report,

JOHN McDANIEL.

Mr. Hicks a member of the committee agrees with me in opinion on the various topics in the foregoing report, and authorised me before he left the Seat of Government to attach his name thereto.

J. W. CRISFIELD